

Docket No.: 069804-0164

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 53080
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Naoto YUMIKI	:	Confirmation Number: 9937
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Application No.: 10/593,445	:	Group Art Unit: 2851
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Filed: September 19, 2006	:	Examiner: Not yet assigned
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For: IMAGING DEVICE	:	

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.